

CLUB TO OPEN
The Young Men's Business club is soon to have an up-to-date business library in its room on the second door of the Holland building, according to E. J. Saari, secretary of the club.

Plans for it will be worked out at the next meeting of the club which is to take place in June. Mr. Saari said there would be about one hundred books acquired at the start. These books are to be donated by members of the club in groups or singular. Efforts will be made to prevent duplication.

This library will not only be open to the members, but to any one desiring to read on business subjects.

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Exhaustion of Forests Problem

Steady Decline in Lumber Production Since 1907—Great Building Boom Calls for More.

By GEORGE H. MANNING
(Special to The Bee).

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 17.—In the face of the greatest boom in building construction which has ever been known, with an amount of unsatisfied demand for construction unequalled at any previous period in our history, the exhaustion of the forests of the United States is one of the most serious problems of the day.

Although Virginia's production still ranks between tenth and twelfth among all the states, the high point of production in the Old Dominion was reached in 1909, and annual lumber output is on the wane. In general, the same is true of North and South Carolina, the other states of the North Carolina pine region. The southern belt, although still leading in lumber production, will soon be behind the Pacific coast and Rocky Mountain states to which the drift of lumber

activity has already begun.

The northeastern section has long ago been exhausted, and of the 11 eastern states only one, New York, shows an increased production in 1920 over 1919. All of the eleven western states showed increase.

The United States Forest Service has just completed a thorough and comprehensive survey of the lumber resources of the United States for the past fifty years, which sets forth in uncompromising figures the causes of the shortage and high cost of lumber in this country.

This survey, the results of which have been published in a bulletin of the Department of Agriculture, shows the following facts:

The highest point in the lumber production of the country was reached in 1907; since that year, there has been a steady decline, about two percent per year, which has not yet ceased, and is not likely to. The total decline from 1907 to 1920 was 27 percent.

During the same period, the population of the country increased 15 percent. The per capita consumption of lumber has dropped steadily and constantly from more than 500 feet per year in 1907 to 316 feet per year in 1920—about three per cent per year. By 1930 it is predicted that the amount of timber used by each person in America will be less than that used by the inhabitants of Russia.

In spite of the decrease in per capita consumption, the price of lumber has increased to such an extent that the average American is forced to pay three times as much in dollars as in 1890 for an amount of lumber one-sixth less than he got in that year. Even in terms of other commodities, the cost of the per capita consumption in 1920 was more than that of a larger per capita consumption thirty years before.

From now on the demand for lumber, it is believed, will be governed largely by the price of transportation across the continent, by the water route through the canal. Even this factor, however, can not prevent there coming a time when the need for lumber will exceed any possible available supply, and the effects of the lack will be felt in every part of the country, and in all lines of industry.

Eventually, though, Mr. Greeley believes, we will have been forced through necessity to adopt some methods of reforestation and cultivation, and we will have forests coming into their prime as regularly as crops of wheat, though lumber can never again be so plentiful or so cheap as in the past.

Real Prize For Flying Hero



Miss Nellie Turner, formerly of Columbus, O., was Lieutenant John A. Macready's reward for breaking all air records in his recent trans-continental non-stop flight on which he was accompanied by Lieutenant Oakley Kelly. The couple were married almost immediately after Macready landed at San Diego.

difficult to see, under such circumstance, how any substantial reduction of prices may be expected. The additional cost of transportation across the continent is as much as our fathers paid for first-grade hardwoods before the Civil War."

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So the lumber cut has decreased, and at the same time the area of production has moved farther and farther away from the great consuming centers of the east. Practically one-half the lumber used in this country goes to the states of Iowa and north of Tennessee. The average lumber which has been heretofore from 30 to 4,000 miles, has increased to 30,000 to 5,000 miles.

"Not a single factor in the new situation," says W. B. Greeley, chief of the Forest Service, who, with E. H. Clapp, was in charge of the survey, "tends to reduce the cost of lumber. On the contrary, almost all factors tend to increase the cost."

"Old Maids' Club" Presented By Mt. Hermon Scholars

The auditorium of Mount Hermon school was crowded to capacity last night when "The Old Maids' Club," a play full of mirth, was presented by the teachers and pupils of the school. The performance was well received by the large audience.

The play was presented in an admirable manner and each character handled his or her part exceptionally well. The play provided many humorous situations and funny dialogues which kept the spectators in continuous laughter, especially when some local character was mentioned. The cast follows:

Miss Luella Primrose, pres., Margaret Witt.

Miss Helen Hopewell, vice-pres., Julia L. Asher.

Miss Maria Hopewell, treasurer, Birdie Harper.

Miss Sallie Brown, secretary, Lillian Samuels.

Miss Dora Doolittle, who knits slippers, Anna Collie.

Miss Faith Snowmore, who does crocheting, Gertrude Harper.

Miss Julie Jones, very demure, Miss Maude Hopewell, a great composer, Parrish Brown.

Miss Mary Smith, who wears cork screw curls, Elsie Smith.

Miss Victoria Longfellow, who pets a cat, and many others, Virginia Witt.

Miss Lucinda DeWitt, who does embroidery, Clericia Smith.

Miss Lucy Rosehill, who advertises for a man, Mamie Atkins.

Miss Betty Robinet, old maid, from the country, Jamie Reynolds.

Double of Luella, Maude Witt.

Double of Dora, Lucy Cheshire.

Tommy Doolittle, assistant treasurer of Club, and the pet, Garland Reynolds.

Philip Andrew James, newspaper reporter, with magic berries, Charlie Harper.

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VIRGINIAN RAILWAY ASKS AUTHORITY FOR BONDS

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The Virginian Railway asked the Interstate Commerce Commission today for authority to issue \$5,700,000 in equipment certificates.

Schoolfield's "Cotton Pageant" Will Be Given Next Saturday

Final preparations are being made for the Cotton Pageant which will be given next Saturday evening at the schoolfield at Ballou Park, when the schoolchildren will present a colorful spectacle to the public. In years past the May Day fete given by the Schoolfield schools and welfare departments has been an elaborate and extremely picturesque event and this year's "Cotton Pageant" will be no exception to the precedent.

Between five and six hundred trained and costumed children will take part in the various events which will go to make up the program. The pageant has been in course of rehearsal and practice for several weeks and the costumes needed have been made by the mothers of the pupils and the various clubs. The Schoolfield brass band will be in attendance to afford music within the grassy arena where the spectacle will be staged.

One week from Saturday the smaller children will give their annual pageant in Wildwood or West End park, just beyond the handsome new Schoolfield public school.

For the past several days a corps of moving picture operators and directors have been here from Chicago taking pictures of the mill, showing the various mechanical stages through which the raw material passes until it has reached the finished cloth for which Dan River is well known. The Cotton Pageant is also to be fully filmed but this will not be done at the presentation of the spectacle on Saturday since the sun would be at such an angle at the hour of the performance as not to give the best results. The pageant will be completely re-staged one day during the coming week, probably during the morning when the light is at its best.

On Saturday the Schoolfield Concert band, under the direction of Professor Vebetti, will give a half hour recital, beginning at half past four o'clock, and continuing until the beginning of the pageant. This concert has been in course of preparation also for some time and the program will be well worth hearing.

The pageant will be given in the Northeast corner of the park or the same place where last year's pageant was given. This is considered the best location for the park at that point forms a natural amphitheatre and affords a larger opportunity for the spectators to view the spectacle than on the flat greenward bound by Park avenue and West Main street where the earlier performances were given.

DEEDS RECORDED

Deeds of bargain and sale recorded in the clerk's office of the Corporation court show that Virginia has purchased from Pearl M. Hill 40 feet on Lee street for \$175, and that J. R. Worsham has purchased from Paton Temple, Williamson, Inc., 48 feet on Marshall street. Consideration \$1,700.

Stock Report

Thomas & McKinnon
(Neon Report)

Atchison	89
Anaconda Copper	44
Alid Chemical & Dye	66 1/2
Allis Chalmers	55 1/2
Almer Smelting & Refining	55 1/2
American Locomotive	134 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	122
Amer. Sumatra Tobacco	25 1/2
American A. G. Chem.	17 1/2
American Can	93 1/2
American Sugar	74 1/2
American Tobacco	145 1/2
American Woolen	90 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	128 1/2
Bethlehem Steel "B"	54 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	48
Canadian Pacific	92 1/2
Coca Cola	63 1/2
Chandler Motors	46 1/2
Costen & Co.	130 1/2
Corn Products	45 1/2
Continental Can	67 1/2
Cookson Steel	41 1/2
Corvo de Pasco	22 1/2
Chino Copper	26 1/2
Chile Copper	14 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	28 1/2
Chicago, P. I. & Pac.	20 1/2
Chicago Mill & St. Paul	36 1/2
do, pfd.	7 1/2
Chicago & N. W.	10 1/2
Consolidated Textile	76 1/2
Erie, first	15 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky	40 1/2
General Motors	94 1/2
Great Northern, pfd.	83 1/2
Gulf States Steel	57 1/2
Houston Oil	25 1/2
Hudson Motors	32 1/2
Ice, Mar. Marine, pfd.	17 1/2
Inspiration Copper	41 1/2
International Paper	109 1/2
Illinois Central	36 1/2
Kennecott Copper	49 1/2
Kelly-Springfiled Tire	14 1/2
Missouri Pacific	37 1/2
do, pfd.	10 1/2
Middle States Oil	19 1/2
Mexican Seaboard	45 1/2
Maryland Oil	51 1/2
North American Co.	71 1/2
Northern Pacific	94
New York Central	17 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford	36
N. Y. N. H. & Br.	44 1/2
Pennsylvania	33 1/2
Pan-American Petroleum	87 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	50
Pete Marquette	42 1/2
Producers & Refiners	44 1/2
Penn-Seaboard Steel	3 1/2
Royal Dutch, N. Y.	49 1/2
R. J. Reynolds "B"	64 1/2
Ray Consolidated	18 1/2
Reopley Steel	50 1/2
Rop. Iron & Steel	20 1/2
Sinclair Oil & Refining	89 1/2
Southern Pacific	117 1/2
Standard Oil of Calif.	52 1/2
Southern Railway	32
Standard Oil, Indiana, pfd.	65 1/2
Skeely Oil	23
Stoss-Steel & Iron	54 1/2
Tennessee Products	45 1/2
Texas Co.	63 1/2
Union Pacific	97 1/2
Utah Copper	52 1/2
United States Steel	19 1/2
Virginia Car. Chem.	35
Va. Car. Chem., pfd.	24 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	52 1/2
Wabash, pfd.	43 1/2
Sales to non-residents, 200,000 shares.	

MYSTERY STILL CLOAKS AMNESIA VICTIM WHO IS STRANDED HERE

toied him of his condition. One theory is that Barton was a patient in some government hospital, being treated for some mental ailment, which may have developed from wartime experiences such as shell shock and to have effected his escape. In one statement he said that his wife, Mrs. Bettie Barton, lives in Baltimore.

Dr. Rucker planned to get in touch with the district headquarters at Roanoke this afternoon to see if anything could be learned there. It is believed that within the next twenty-four hours, through the activity of the Community Welfare Association, the Veterans Bureau and the office of the press, to broadcast a new story of the man's plight, that some definite information will have been learned.

OWES HIS LIFE TO PAW PAW

New Hampshire Man Feels Fine After Taking Munyon's Tonic

"I was taken with itching on my hands and tried all kinds of ointments, but to no avail," writes S. E. Feeno, West Swanzey, N. H. "I could not sleep nights. My hands were in terrible shape. I tried one bottle of Paw Paw Tonic and found it had done me some good. I am now on my fourth bottle and my hands are cured. I have good rich blood and feel like a new man. I think Paw Paw Tonic is the best I ever used and I can recommend it very highly. I really believe it saved my life. For I feel fine now and I would advise every one who is run-down to give it a fair trial." Take Mr. Feeno's advice and buy a \$1 bottle of Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic at your druggist's today. Results are amazing. Munyon's, Scranton, Pa.

Soil in Danville by Frank B. McCall and all other up-to-date drugs.

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Access.

Bayer Tablets of Aspirin only. Each unbroken package containing proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monosaccharide of Salicylic acid.

Mad Dog Data Is Given By Health Officer

Mrs. S. W. Fuller

Dies At Pelham

Mrs. Mattie Frances Fuller, wife of G. W. Fuller, died at her home near Pelham, N. C., this morning, at five o'clock, after a brief illness from a complication of diseases. She was in her thirtieth year of age, and besides her husband, was survived by three small children and her parents. The funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock by Rev. J. Clyde Holman, and interment made in the cemetery at Stokesland.

Baptist Women Give \$2,000,000 to Missions

NEGRO JUDGE TALKS.

By The Associated Press
LYNCHBURG, Va., May 14.—Judge William Harrison, negro superior court judge of Chicago, addressed a large audience of whites and negroes here tonight, making a plea for such treatment of negroes as has been demanded by the negroes and dictated by the Creator. He said that the philosophers, scientists and diplomats had failed to make the world a true democracy and that it is now time to give the Christian religion a chance.

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Now Is The Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer a slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles—double strength—guaranteed to remove these horrid spots. Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautifull clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantees of money back if it fails to remove freckles—adv.

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BLUE SHE CRIED

Because of Ill Health—Tells How She Found Relief by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Burlington, Iowa. "I used to dream the time for my monthly period as it came every two weeks and lasted for two weeks, and during that time I would have the blues and cry. Since I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I am so happy I can hardly express myself. I have gained several pounds and look fine. I have recommended

your medicine to my friends and you may publish my letter as a testimonial. I hope your medicine will give others the relief it did me."—Mrs. RALPH GAIL, 2021 Des Moines St., Burlington, Ia.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine for ailments common to women. It has been used for such troubles for nearly fifty years, and thousands of women have found relief at Dr. Gail, by taking this splendid medicine.

If you are suffering from irregular, painful times, nervousness, headaches, backache or melancholia, you should at once begin to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is excellent to strengthen the system and help to perform its functions with ease and regularity.



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YOUR BUSINESS WILL BE APPRECIATED

Old Dominion Motor Co.

Maxwell Sales and Service

Annual Assembly
Of Presbyterians
Dr. Hays Preaches

(By The Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, May 17.—Dr. Calvin C. Hays of Johnstown, Pa., retiring Moderator of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A., opened the 185th annual Presbyterian General Assembly here this forenoon by preaching the following Moderatorial sermon, which is designed to sound the keynote for the sessions of the Assembly to continue through May 24. Moderator Hays' text was Isaiah 52:1, "Put on thy strength, O Zion," and he gave his sermon the title "The Appeal of God to a Faltering Church."

Dr. Hays covered a wide range of subjects, a summary of which, together with some of his most striking utterances, follows:

On Heresy.—"No appeal to force, no recourse to law, no ecclesiastical bull, will drive out heresy where heresy appears."

On Ministers.—"We should be clean who bear the vessels of the Lord."

On Education.—"Hell has enlarged herself in the effort to recover her strength."

On Missions.—"Our chief business as Christian men and women is to build up the Kingdom of Christ and get the gospel to those who do not have it."

On Successes.—"We have succeeded so well that we are bound to push our work or suffer humiliation and disgrace."

On Finance.—"One difficulty about our finances is that we have so much dead timber on our rolls and too many deadheads."

On the Future.—"It is not an ark for the mere carrying of an elect few. Nor is it a ferry boat, all obligations settled when there fare is paid. It is not an insurance company organized to insure against loss in the world to come. The Church exists for work as well as worship, for service as well as sociability, for this world rather than the next."

On Spirituality.—"We have lost the power to work miracles, but heaven forbid that we should lose the power to supply spiritual need."

On Prayer.—"Prayer is taking hold to supply spiritual need."

On Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.—"I am so happy I can hardly express myself. I have gained several pounds and look fine. I have recommended

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On Foreigners.—"Our fathers came to this country for the same reason that foreigners are coming today in search of a better chance."

On the Future.—"The Church is not dead or dying. She is the liveliest institution the world knows anything about. The world's criticism and the world's need are the Church's challenge."

Elaborating the theme of heresy, Dr. Hays said in part: "The charge that rationalism and unbelief are widespread among us, and are even creeping into many of our pulpits, is a charge that cannot be sustained. Those of us who have been much over the Church in the last year have found no evidence of this, whatever but only deepest regret everywhere expressed with such sweeping assertion should be made. The trouble is like grace, and there is nothing like it to delude us from darkness. No appeal to force, to recourse to law, or ecclesiastical bull, will drive out heresy where heresy appears. We have the more excellent way depicted in the 13th chapter of First Corinthians. What is needed is the spirit of Christ and a return to gospel preaching, if indeed we have departed from it; every man to his task: the laying of new emphasis upon the emphasis upon the things most surely believed among us, in every pulpit and class room of the church."

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Pastors who are on their jobs have

HOWARD CLARKE.



HAVE YOU PAINS?

This Advice Is For You If Suffering From Rheumatism.

Chesterstown, Md.—"I suffered four months with severe cases of arthritis. The doctor continued to do me no good. My knee and left foot were swollen twice their natural size and pained me very severely. I was unable to walk, and was compelled to use crutches after lying in bed three weeks. Acting upon my mother's advice, I tried Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. From the first dose or so I started improving and am now able to work again. Thank you, Dr. Clarke."

Step into any drug store and ask for a package of Anuric, which is many times more potent than lithia. A short trial will convince you. Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for trial package, or write for free medical advice—adv.

Board of Governors of American Construction Council declares building crisis exists. Recommends her construction be deferred several months and bankers curtail financing of speculative building.

No change in N. Y. federal reserve rediscount rate at yesterday's meeting of governors.

Republic Steel declares regular quarterly 1.34 per cent and 2 per cent on account of seven per cent accumulated back dividends on paid stock.

Annual meeting of St. Paul today.

Pacific Oil directors meet today to consider dividend.

Books on treasury offering including those for exchange of Victoria Notes closed. Subscriptions exceed \$1,25,000,000 of which 300,000,000 were in cash.

Schoolmates' Joking

Drives Boy, 10, to Die

GRENVILLE, Pa., May 17.—Ten-year-old Raymond Baker lies at his home here today in a coma because his schoolmates teased him. The boy was reportedly beaten by his father recently for not going to school, and was given as his reason that he was the victim of practical jokes among his fellow students.

The father told him this was not serious and urged him to go back to his classes. Yesterday the lad went to a bedroom and shot himself.

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What's Wrong With Weather?
Don't Let That Worry You

(By HARRY B. HUNT)

(Special to The Bee)

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Remarkable weather this spring isn't it? Very unusual. Like to know what's causing it? Well—

"The temperature of the earth depends upon the heat we receive from the sun," says Dr. George Abbot, assistant secretary of the Smithsonian Institution and director of the Astrophysical Observatory.

"For several years the sun's heat had not fluctuated much until November, 1921, when the monthly values began to decrease. By October, 1922, the values reached a level three per cent. lower than before the decrease commenced. Since then they have continued on this low level.

Since the earth's temperature, rainfall and other phenomena depend upon the sun's heat, one would expect that so marked a change would be apt to be reflected in the weather conditions."

What about it?" I asked. Dr. Chas. C. Marvin, chief of the United States Weather Bureau, citing Dr. Abbott's observations, "Is the sun cooling off? Is that responsible for this freak weather?"

Marvin cringed and came back with a question of his own:

"Is the weather due to the apparent variation in solar radiation, or is the seeming variation in solar radiation due to the weather?"

"You tell me; you're the weather man," I continued.

"Well," Marvin continued, drawing from his pocket a bunch of intricate graphs and charts. "I am not yet able to accept the theory of variation in solar radiation as a basis for weather forecasting. Measuring the sun's heat is a very difficult task. Many atmospheric conditions, clouds, dust, etc., tend to disturb the accuracy of the measurements. But look at these charts—running back over many years. They indicate that as the methods for measuring solar radiation have improved, and as better equipment and better stations for observation have been obtained, the apparent variation of the sun's heat has diminished.

"That might indicate that the variation recorded was not due to any change in the heat of the sun itself, but to errors in measurement and to the influences of atmospheric conditions affecting the intensity of the rays as they reach the earth's surface."

EFFECT OF ERUPTION

"Following the eruption of Katmai in the Aleutian Islands a few years ago, the variation in apparent solar radiation was so great that readings finally were discontinued. Volcanic dust ascended high into the air—far above the level to which any moisture ascends. Observations taken by the Smithsonian Institution in Algeria showed the presence of the volcanic dust even there—half way round the earth. This volcanic dust sometimes remains in the upper atmosphere for two or three years, and, of course,

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THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1923.

BANDITS WITH INTERNATIONAL
RELATIONS.Yesterday's news columns told us
on one page that the Chinese brigands
who recently raided the Shanghai ex-
press and carried travellers into the
mountains for ransom had decided to
act swiftly unless the money was
paid, and on another that China leads
the world in the number of Bibles
purchased during the past year. It
is a great country for comparison and
contrast more especially at the present
time when western civilization is
encroaching on its long sustained
lethargy.Bandits have long been a national
evil in China and it has not been con-
fined to land operations. History still
recks of the hideous machinations of
the pirates who infested the China
sea and in their junks set upon many
a helpless merchantman. The
brigands who are holding foreign cap-
tives, among them Americans, are for
the most part soldiers of the Chinese
army who failing to receive pay de-
serted, formed lawless groups and de-
cided to eke out a precarious living
as marauders. They are not as sav-
age and lustful as one might imagine
but evidently possess well defined
business acumen as is witnessed by
the fact that the leader, Wang, a few
days ago sought to promote the
chances of collecting the ransom
money by allowing one of the prison-
ers a day's leave of absence so that
he might go down to the nearest gov-
ernmental seat to try and arrange for
the ransom money. The bandit leader
lopped the capulin on leave of
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trip.The train raid and the subsequent
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In Unique LairBERLIN. May 16.—No beast in the
German zoo with the instinct born of
being hunted through the ages ever
built a more ingenious lair than the
Papke Brothers, murderers, who
have lived for weeks in their midst
and shamed them in their captivity.
There has always been a giant clock
on top of one of the columns at the
entrance to the zoo, but it was re-
moved a couple of months ago, and
the Papkes made the vacancy their
home, with the opening, their front
door, reached by climbing the fence.
They carried in necessities for house-
hold comfort, including cooking uten-
sils and an alcohol stove, and even
tapped wires and got electric light.
The thousands passing daily uncon-
sciously looked up at the clock, but
the Papkes left no trace.His Motorcycle
Scoops Up a CopNEW YORK. May 16.—Policeman
Leonard Smith nearly became a cas-
ualty while directing traffic yesterday
in Hillside avenue, Jamaica. He was
lifted suddenly and hurled through
the air.When he opened his eyes he was
in a "bathtub" sidecar of a motorcycle.
He knew how to reach over and stop
it. The driver said he was Tony Gol-
ubowski, New Hyde Park, and pushed
Smith with both feet into the po-
liceman's behind. He smelled liquor.
Smith is an amateur, and is not, so
far, an expert.Tony was arraigned in the Jamaica
court, and held on charges of assault-
ing an officer and driving a motor-
cycle while intoxicated.Mif is growing wild in the woods,
and so is the julep.Knowing how to do a thing is only
half of it. Lots of us know how to
fish, but can't go fishing.Always getting into hot water will
burn your goose.

Scoop's Column

DRAKES BRANCH, May 17.—
(Grapevine Wireless)—While Brother
Ed. Oakes was supervising the job of
putting up fly-screens at his shack this morning,
he was reared back in a
split-bottom chair reading
the "Whiz Bang," turn-
ing over a leaf and taking
a fresh chew of Star.
he says to us boys, "listen to this.""In her wildest flights
of imagination, the old
maid cannot possibly realize
the vast importance of
such things as goose
grease, teethings powders,
soothing syrups, camomile tea, magnesia,
'dumplings,' castor oil, Turkey
rhubarb, brimstone and tredice, and
camphor may be to the weary and
overworked wives and mothers of
the old maid is in no danger of being left
a widow. The whole street will not be
given the extreme satisfaction of
passing around the length of her
veil, the depth and cost of her mourn-
ing. Neighbors need not watch her
every time she crosses a man's path-
way, and assure each other—of
course, in the strictest confidence, my
dear—that she is looking out for
husband No. 2 or No. 3, as the case
may be. The thousand and one petty
cares and irritations of housekeeping,
an old maid will not be bothered with.
If there is nobody to praise her, well,
there is certainly nobody to blame
her, and that fact alone is quite a
consideration."Whereupon Brother Posey observed:
"I never saw an old maid yet who
didn't have to help rear somebody
else's children, so she usually has no
chin after all.""I'm a great country for comparison and
contrast more especially at the present
time when western civilization is
encroaching on its long sustained
lethargy.""Just Two Days Left!"
The Register and Bee subscription
campaign closes Saturday night at 9
o'clock. Deposit your votes in the
ballot box at The First National Bank.
The judges will make the final count
and name the winners in the \$10,
000.00 prize distribution. Make the
last two days count!"Almost!"
In London they were discussing ad-
vertising. "Great stuff, these electric
signs on Broadway," said the Yankee.
"They've got one advertising Wrig-
ley's gum, runs a whole block, 250,000
electric bulbs.""How many?" cried the astonished
Londoner."Two hundred and fifty thousand,"
answered the Yankee.The Londoner observed, "But I say,
old chaps isn't that a bit conspicu-
ous?"—The Kan-Sun.

"Ancient Drug Store Wit."

Man to Drug Clerk: "I want some
concentrated lye."Clerk: "You mean concentrated
lye.""Man: "It does nutting any differ-
ence. That's what I camphor. What
does it sulphur?"Clerk: "Fifteen cents. I never clin-
ched it for much before."Man: "Well, I should myrrh,
myrrh! Yet I ammonia novice at it.""What would you do if I kissed
you?"

"I'd call my father."

"Where is he?"

"Out of town."

There is a rumor now that King Tut
is not in the tomb. Col. Carrington
suggests that perhaps, on finding him-
self in a tight place, he offered his
kingdom for a horse, and got it.

"Not Yet!"

Tom: Harry ate something that
poisoned him.

Dick: Croquette?

"Not yet, but he's very ill!"—Texas
Scalper.

"Strange But True!"

"This paper has a most remark-
able picture of a woman swimmer."

"What's so strange about it?"

"It shows her actually in the
water."Tom Luther says there is one nice
thing about home. You can stick
around without feeling under obliga-
tions to buy every few minutes. (But
the bills come in just the same.)I love to sit and watch the smoke
rise from my cigarette.

A thin and flimsy line of gray.

It climbs up straight, and yet,

We're a bright philosopher.

Who did not think in prose.

I'd note the higher it ascends,

The crooked it grows.

Telephone Statistics.

According to the latest estimates,
there are over eighty million tele-
phones used in various parts of the
world. Allowing 8,473 off for auto-
matic phones and "wrong number,"
are repeated 5,729,578,548 times
annually. The words "line's busy" are
repeated 4,567,530,123 times annually.
Next to "line's busy," the words

are most frequently used.

Keep out of ruts; a rut is some-
thing which, if traveled in too much,
becomes a ditch.

Censored!

I choose me down to write a squib.

Choose for my subject "Adam's Rib."

And then I find I've pulled a bone.

It at a movie's being shown.

My boss says "Too bad, my lad."

I'll have to cut this—it's an ad."

"Daddy," asked inquisitive Little
Jennie as she "disappeared" the last
forkful of her Monday evening meal.

"What was hash when it was alive?"

The business man who says he
has no care in the world needs no ill
to denote his status; he's usually a
dead one.The business of the country are
not finding all their men—they are
making most of them, says the assist-
ant cashier.Want to live in a big city? In New
York, the city of opportunities, a
watch is pawned every 45 minutes.Once an automobile owner, thinks Bruce
McKee.Some men will fight harder to keep
a soft job than they will to get a job.Mrs. Pilkerton says her husband's
head is so bold that he slipped on
his pillow and fell out of the bed.

Knowing how to do a thing is only

half of it. Lots of us know how to

fish, but can't go fishing.

Always getting into hot water will

burn your goose.

Saturday Night
At Nine O'clock
Ends Big ContestToday, tomorrow and Saturday
up to 9 p.m.—is the last chance to
get up to your subscriptions.The \$4,145.00 Lincoln, the \$1,355.00
Hupmobile, the \$950.00 Chevrolet, the
\$664.00 Ford sedan and the \$398.00
Ford roadster are waiting to be claimed
by their winners.Just two more complete turns of the
clock and the entire campaign will
be over. Only 48 hours remain after
today to pluck up the winning
votes.The size of the prize you will win
when it be one of the five cars
or a similar cash prize depends on
what you do now, Saturday and Sunday
night at 9 o'clock.Keep in mind that there are others
striving for the same goal, remember
that there are others who seek
to win the big prizes.Your success—whether it will be
victory or failure—depends on the
story revealed by the locked ballot
box when it is opened by the critical
judges just after the noon whistle blows.Big subscriptions count the most.
Get all the three-year subscriptions
possible. That is the thing that will
make your vote total climb to trem-
endous proportions.Don't underestimate your competi-
tors' strength but get all you can.
Don't be satisfied with a small prize
when it is possible for you to secure
the biggest prize in the list.

Time is flying. You can't delay.

Remember that there are just 48
hours more.VICE PRESIDENT REMOVED
FROM MEDIOCRE PLANELYNCHBURG, Va., May 16.—John
M. Hughes, distinguished lawyer of
Norfolk, speaking tonight at the
annual meeting of the Lynchburg Bar
Association, gave Tyler and Roosevelt
credit for removing the office of
vice-president from the level of medi-
ocrity. His subject was "Our Vice-
Presidents and the Method of Their
Selection." Judge F. W. Whitaker
was elected president of the associa-
tion, succeeding Randolph Harrison.24-MILE EXTENSION
WILL BE STARTEDMINNEAPOLIS, May 16.—Con-
struction of a 24-mile extension of
the electric short line railway will be
started shortly. This work which
will cost \$50,000 will give the
company 114 miles of trackage and per-
mit a junction with the great north-
ern road.CONTINUING OF LETTER FROM
BEATRICE GRIMSHAW TO
SALLY ATHERSON

I don't think you will be surprised

Sally dear, when I tell you that be-
cause of your letter and Leslie's let-
ter I refused a proposal of marriage
to the man who took me motor-
ing yesterday.I told him I was not yet sure that
we loved each other enough. Of
course he protested that he loved me
enough and that he would make me
love him. Men are so sure of their
success in this direction.As I did not complain to him that
he was very perplexing and did
not give him any trouble, he
quieting experiences in married life,
which made me "stop, look and
listen," he finally let the matter rest
by saying that in a few months he
would ask me again.I hope by the time you receive this
letter, dear Sally, that things will
have smoothed all for you. I
believe most thoroughly if you could
adjust yourself to Sam, so that you
could be good friends with him.

Things would straighten out.

I hope you will be good to Sam.

All your letters and what you
have told me lead me to think thatFate had sent you the rosemary and
criticism of Sam.

Then, when he contrasts that with

your kindness and sweetness and
devotion, he may come to a right de-
cision. For you know Sam is always
gentleman, whatever foolishness he
may get himself into.Sam was rather amused as well as
bewildered by the closing paragraphs
of both your letters. I think he
admitted to me that the other may not be
perfectly happy. That is the other
all her dreams had come true while
Fate had sent you the rosemary and
criticism of Sam.

I hope you are old fashioned

and have an idea of real com-
munity.Sam, I presume, just now is in a
receptive mood—at least I think

he would be—and if you are

very good to him if he sees that you
are the one that he can turn to under
any circumstances. I am sure it
goes without saying that his eye will be
more

CATWBA COLLEGE EXERCISES WILL START SUNDAY

MONTAGUE TALKS TO RETAIL MEN

(By The Associated Press)

ROANOKE, Va., May 16.—An address by Congressman J. Montague of Richmond on questions of national and international importance to the United States featured the first day's session of the Retail Merchants Association of Virginia, which opened its annual commencement exercises of Catawba College, beginning Sunday, May 20 and extending through Wednesday, May 22.

Mr. Montague will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday. The following day the academic exercises will be addressed by Dr. W. C. Clingan, after which diplomas will be presented. On Tuesday evening, John Carpenter, Tidman, will deliver the alumni oration.

President A. D. Wetherbee will give his annual statement Wednesday morning. The salutary and valedictory then will be delivered. Dr. Richards' address will precede the presentation of degrees.

Members of the graduating college class are Mary Rose McAllister, China Grove; Lester Troxwell, Niantic, Pennsylvania; and Fred B. Whisenhunt, Newton.

The academy senior class members are Jessie Angel, Lincolnton; Henry Boger, Newton; Frederick Carpenter, Newton; Charles Carpenter, Newton; Marie Corcoran, Catawba; Paul Drum, Maiden; Carroll Harris, Hickory; Cleo Lewis, Gold Hill; Rudy Morrison, Newton; Benjamin B. Monroe, Newton; Shuford Pott, Greensboro; Mary Setzer, Newton; Nellie Smyre, Newton; Hugh Sigmund, Newton; W. Howard Wilson, Huntersville; Roy Whisenhunt, Newton; Samuel Yunt, Newton.

Commercial: Victor Correll, Salisbury, and Gilbert Maud, Newton.

WILD ANIMALS ARE RECEIVED IN TENDER WAY

SARSTEDT, Prussia, May 16.—Sarstedt is too small a town to boast a zoo of its own, and yet there is a continually changing collection here of wild animals found to and from all parts of the world. The explanation lies in the fact that this is the site of one of Germany's leading veterinary clinics.

The actual clearing-house for German importers and exporters of wild beasts is at Alfeld, not far away. Animals assembled from virtually every section of the globe are given an opportunity there to rest up after their voyage before being sent on to the United States and other far-away destinations. Some of the travelers contract ailments or diseases through a change of climate or otherwise, and the Sarstedt "hospital" is called upon to treat them.

Gas has been adopted as a means of dealing with various types of skin diseases. It is administered in chambers, but naturally in such a way that the animal's head is not exposed to the fumes.

Sixteen large camels were brought here recently because their hair was falling out as a result of the long trip to Alfeld from their native haunts in Egypt. Twice a week these huge, bulky patients have to stand for an hour in individual box-like gas chambers with only their heads and necks protruding. The long necks are bandaged in collars from top to bottom, with felt plugging up all apertures through which gas might leave the chambers. It is a comical sight, this row of sixteen humps, each with a bandaged neck, looking very much like a score of boat victims. To complete the cure takes about 30 days.

LITTLE CHANGE IN PRICE LEVEL

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Little change in the general level of wholesale prices in April over March was reported in a summary issued today by the Labor Department.

Building materials and metals continued upward, with an increase of more than 3 per cent. Clothes and clothing went up 2 per cent, while house furnishings increased 1 per cent. Foods, chemicals, and drugs showed small increases.

Farm products, however, dropped 1-2 per cent; fuel and lighting materials three per cent, and miscellaneous commodities 3-4 of one per cent.

April wholesale prices were 11 per cent higher than in April last year. Metals and metal products increased 36-1-2 per cent; building materials, 30-3-4 per cent; clothes and clothing, 19-3-4 per cent; chemicals and drugs, 9-3-4 per cent; farm products, 9-1-4 per cent; and miscellaneous commodities, 8-1-2 per cent. Foods, fuel and lighting, and house furnishings showed smaller increases.

MICHIGAN OPPOSED TO INTERSECTIONAL SPORTS

ANN ARBOR, Mich., May 16.—Intersectional athletic contests find small favor with Fielding H. Yost, director of athletics at Michigan. Despite his recent criticism of Michigan's withdrawal from the Eastern Collegiate A. A. and the Eastern Intercollegiate track and field meet in New York May 25 and 26, Yost gave two reasons why he opposes intersectional competition for the Maize and Blue.

Michigan's natural athletic opponents, he declared, are in the Middle West, particularly in the Western Conference, and he believes the Wolverine relations should be limited largely to these opponents. He cited proximity and mutual regard as the basis of the opinion.

Declaring the athletics are and always should be but a contributory factor to the main purpose of college work, that of educating and fitting youths for their life's work, Yost pointed out that Michigan's regular schedule will take members of the track squad away from classes as much as he considers safe and consistent.

"The whole matter," Yost declared, "resolves itself, as before, to the natural and most feasible selection of opponents. We know each other in the Middle West and we can readily regard each other. There is mutual regard among us. Perhaps, in the end we would be strangers."

MERCHANTS CAUTIOUS ABOUT THEIR ORDERS

NEW ORLEANS, May 16.—The backwardness of planting in the South and the recent decline in the cotton values are keeping merchants cautious in placing orders for future delivery. Planting in Louisiana of all crops was only 67 per cent of normal on May 1, and 58 per cent of normal in Mississippi compared with a ten year average of 71 per cent.

Unfavorable weather is preventing farm hands from being fully utilized and country merchants are feeling the effect. There is no sign of a let up in building construction in this section of the South.

NO CHANGE IN MEASURE WISE

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 16.—A resolution declaring it unwise to ask Congress to make any changes in the present rehabilitation act was adopted unanimously at the concluding session today of the conference of civilian rehabilitation officials representing various states, social workers and government officials called by the board for vocational education.

A resolution requested that Congress appropriate \$1,000,000 annually for expenditure in co-operation with the states and \$5,000 a year for administrative expenses of the federal board. It was recommended that no state taking part in the dual work receive less than \$5,000 a year.

The resolution also expressed the opinion of the delegates that the value of vocational rehabilitation had been shown to be more far-reaching than anticipated and it congratulated

the federal board and the state agencies on their achievements under provisions of the act.

ROSCOE HUGHES WAS RE-ELECTED

(By The Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Va., May 16.—Roscoe E. Hughes, of Portsmouth, was re-elected Grand Master of the Virginia Order of Improved Red Men at its annual meeting here today. He was also made Great Prophet of the order. Dr. G. W. Robinson, of Danville, was elected senior great magnum.

Tonight the Red Men were the guests of Annawon Lodge at a reunion, while members of the Degree of Pocahontas, the women's organization, were tendered a banquet in Columbian Hall.

Representative J. M. Hooker, of Patrick county, was in the city yesterday greeting friends while passing through.

BERLIN WOULD TAX THE USE OF FOREIGN WORDS

BERLIN, May 16.—Casting about for things to tax, so that Berlin's depleted exchequer may be relieved, the Argus eyes of the municipal receiver have fallen upon a host of shop signs which have sprung up along the streets since pre-war days.

It is not the signs themselves he wants to assess, nor their newness but the foreign words used in them. Thus he thinks if any Berlin hostelry prefers to be known as a "hotel," instead of priding itself on being just a plain German "Gastwirt," it should be taxed for the privilege of attending good German eyes by its advertisement in this way in a foreign language.

The same view prevails as to firms whose doors are crowned with "coiffeur," "moden," "restaurante," or the like. Even an enterprising chap from overseas who hung out the shingle, "American Dentist," would be hit. Particularly aggravated

is the tendency to label a "Fuenf-Uhr Tee" as a "Five-O'Clock Tea," especially since such a mailing fixture is manufactured largely by foreign firms.

There is scarcely a menu in Berlin which does not list "ham and eggs" boldly, without any attempt to give its German equivalent, but it is not yet known whether the watch-dog of the city treasury would also try to extend his proposed tax to monikers even to the word "menu" itself.

The tax has not yet reached more than the talking air investigating stage. Its adoption is considered likely, however, and a sentiment in favor of such a step has increased greatly since a similar measure was adopted at Milan, Italy.

MAJESTIC

Starting Monday—Matinees on Wednesday and Saturday

POPULAR PRICES.

A PIANO FREE

A
\$375.00
PIANO
FREE



A
\$375.00
PIANO
FREE

In Order to Stimulate Sales During the Dull Season We Have Decided to Give Away a Fine \$375 Upright Piano

ABSOLUTELY FREE

Our Plan

We mean to sell thirty pianos beginning May 21st and ending June 21st. To one of these thirty piano purchasers we give this free piano or credit for \$375.00 on any piano selected. Call at our store for particulars.

A
\$375.00
PIANO
FREE

How We Do It

In order to afford this we must sell thirty pianos in thirty days, if we can do this we reduce our overhead to just one-half. Thus the Piano we give costs us nothing. But it actually means \$375 to the purchaser, securing the credit under our unique plan.

This Is Your Opportunity

IF YOU EXPECT TO BUY A PIANO WITHIN THE NEXT YEAR YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO LET IT PASS

We guarantee if you are one of these thirty purchasers that your piano will not cost you any more than if you bought in the ordinary course of business. Then you may be the lucky purchaser. If interested call at our store or write for full particulars. The piano we are to give away will be on exhibition at our store beginning May 21st. Sign the coupon below. Mail or bring it to our store.

Lee Piano Co., Inc.

609-11 MAIN STREET

Leeland Block

DANVILLE, VA.

Opposite Y. M. C. A.

LEE PIANO CO., INC.

DANVILLE, VA.

I am interested in your plan to give a piano FREE to one of thirty purchasers. Please give particulars.

NAME

ADDRESS

Where They Play Today

PIEDMONT LEAGUE

DANVILLE at Durham.
Winston at Raleigh.
Greensboro at High Point.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York at St. Louis.
Washington at Chicago.
Boston at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

BAIRD GETS DECISION.

(By The Associated Press)
BALTIMORE, May 16.—East
Baird will decide the division after
a 12-round bout with Private Bob
Garcia, featherweight champion of
the army here tonight. Garcia broke
his right hand in the third round but
continued fighting gamely to the end,
using his left entirely.



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DEMPSEY CHOOSES QUARTERS

(By The Associated Press)

GREAT FALLS, Mont., May 16.—Jack Dempsey today selected training quarters in which to prepare for his battle with Tom Gibbons July 4, at Shelby for the heavyweight championship. Dempsey chose the Great Falls Park, one and a half miles south of the city.

DEMPSEY PICKS OLD ROAD HOUSE AS HIS NEW TRAINING QUARTERS

(Special to The Bee.)

GREAT FALLS, Mont., May 17.—An abandoned road house, located two miles from this city, and known as Great Falls was today selected by Jack Dempsey for training quarters, where he will prepare himself to defend the world's heavyweight title against Tommy Gibbons at Shelby, Mont., July 4.—The old house was raided by officers so many times in 1921 that it was finally closed up and has been idle for two years.

On the property is a dance pavilion where a ring and spectators' gallery will be built. Adjoining is a 15-room residence which the champion will use for living quarters.

A crew of men began work this morning getting the pavilion, which is to be completed by July 1, ready to receive the champion. Dempsey will probably not do much in the way of training other than road work. The titleholder said today that Billy Meehan and Joe Benjamin of California, George Godfrey, colored boxer, and a Pittsburgh heavy, named Burke were on the way to join him as sparring partners.

This afternoon Dempsey visited Meadow Lark Country Club, maintained by an exclusive Great Falls clique, where he was the guest of Russell S. Train, Montana, millionaire. The champion contented himself with playing a few holes on the golf course where a big gallery followed him about. Jack took a motor ride and visited the training camp, instructing workmen who began building the ring in which he will train.

Dempsey says he weighed 190 pounds, although he looks heavier.

"I will enter the ring July 4 weighing between 180 and 185," he said. "That will be from five to ten pounds heavier than Gibbons. I imagine, I wish to correct any report that I am not going to train seriously for Tom. That is false. Just look over my sparring partners and plans for my training camp and you will see that I am going to be in as good or better shape, if possible, than when I met Godfrey."

Numbers of the bout to be held at Shelby claimed today advance

X-RAY BEAMS ARE DISCUSSED

BY HENRY WALES.

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PARIS, May 16.—How far X-ray beams continue indefinitely, injuring and hurting persons, their health at a considerable distance away, is a question which was taken up today by the ministry of hygiene for investigation.

Dr. Decler, of the Academy of Medicine, is presiding over committee of members "which" Madame Curie, M. Bequerel, a radiologist, Dr. Vaillant and a number of specialists.

The investigation is the result of complaints of persons living nearby clinics where X-rays are in operation several hours daily.

Suits were started against a doctor by neighbors who claimed that their health had been impaired. Two cases of cancer were alleged to be due to X-rays penetrating through the patients and the walls of the clinic, traversing a street and passing through another wall. It was stated that the rays attacked a soldier's wife.

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MANNING STRONG AT TENNIS MEET

DETROIT CLUB ALWAYS BOASTS STAR SHORTSTOP

DETROIT, May 16.—Some major league clubs are exceedingly fortunate in developing stars for certain positions.

Take the position of shortstop on the Detroit club for instance.

In the early days of Hughie Jennings' success at Detroit, Charley O'Leary was one of the most valuable players in the league. Always a great fielder, a fair hitter, dangerous in the pinch, O'Leary helped put Detroit on the map in a baseball sense.

Then came Done Bush, just as O'Leary was passing out. For years Bush ranked as one of the most brilliant players in either major league at shortstop.

When Bush passed out of the picture, Topper Rigney entered. Cobb predicted great things for Rigney and he has more than made good. After one year in the minors he is regarded as a valuable regular, just on the verge of stardom.

As an understudy to Rigney, the spring training trip has uncovered a youngster by the name of Kerr. Right now he looks as good, if not better, than did Rigney a year ago.

The finals will be played Saturday.

WHIPPING BOSS BE TRIED TODAY

WICHITA, May 16.—The

crop of early peaches will be considerably lighter than of last year, according to reports to the Department of Agriculture from peach growing sections of the South, but will be larger than anticipated when frosts occurred last month.

In North Carolina, the report said, a commercial crop of about 500 cars is expected, which will be about 27 per cent. of last year's crop and about 25 per cent. of a full crop. The loss in the sand hills will not be nearly as large as had been expected.

THEY'RE AFTER BRITISH OPEN GOLF TITLE



JOHNNY FARRELL



"Long Jim" Barnes, the Pelham golf star, has finished in the money in three of his invasions abroad, and hopes to annex the British open title this season. With Farrell and Diegel, this trio of golfers will complete a team which will be stronger than the one competing in the Open Championship at St. Andrews two years ago.

FLOWING GOLD

The threads of fighting and finesse, of plot and counter-plot, of adventure and of tender wooing are woven in this great novel of

The Texas Oil Fields

by

REX BEACH

Every Day In THE BEE

BASEBALL DAYS OVER, MAYS MAY TAKE UP BOXING

NEW YORK, May 16.—Carl Mays, Yankee pitcher, is seriously thinking of becoming a fighter.

Mays recently saw Floyd Johnson and Fred Fulton clash. Mays has an idea that a year of training and instruction would enable him to defeat either of them.

However, that doesn't mean much, as Fulton never was and Johnson is still to be.

As a pitcher Mays always was a clout for punishment, so that trait may prove a worthwhile asset if he decides to turn fighter.

Mays seems to feel that his pitching days as a major league star are about over and he wants to become proficient in some branch of the sporting game that brings big returns.

The ring seems to offer the best inducement.

FRENCH STARS WIN

ROUEN, May 16.—Cochet and Samazeul, French Tennis stars, today defeated Tegnér and Wurm of Denmark at doubles in the second day's play of the Davis Cup tie between the two countries. The scores were: 6-1, 7-5, 6-2.

SUNDAY SCHOOL HAVE BAD START OF SEASON

The Sunday school baseball league for the opening of the season had a bad start yesterday afternoon when the team of the First Baptist church won the title of the Presbyterian team by the score of 9 to 0. Infact the game was forfeited because the Presbyterian team failed to put nine players on the field at the starting of the game. Later the Presbyterians, however, managed to score enough boys to make out the nine, and a practice game was played.

This afternoon the Cabell street team will play the fast Shelton Methodist boys. Both of these teams have a good line up and an interesting game is looked for. As a large crowd of rooters will be on hand much interested is expected.

LEWIS WINS WITHOUT USING HEAD LACK

CHICAGO, May 16.—Without the use of his celebrated headlock, Ed "Strangler" Lewis, world's heavyweight champion, successfully defended his little against Renato Gardini, the Italian, in the main event of the mat show at the Coliseum tonight. The champion won the last two falls by use of the two locks while Gardini took the first fall with a double wrist lock, and leg hold.

Patriots Easily Beat High Point

HIGH POINT, May 16.—Greensboro's commanding lead in the second inning with their five runs and High Point was unable to overcome it, and the visitors won by the score of 7 to 5. The pitching of O'Quinn was the only notable feature of the game. He allowed but four hits but these were bunched and the locals scored three runs. Two of these came in the second when McCullough hit for the circuit with one on.

The box score:

	Ab.	R.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Greensboro	4	1	1	0	0	0
High Point	5	0	0	0	0	0
Irby, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll, 3b.	5	0	1	2	0	0
Cox, 1b.	2	1	0	12	2	1
Teague, 2b.	2	1	0	4	3	1
Conley, rf.	5	2	0	6	0	0
Pierre, c.	3	2	0	6	4	1
Magrann, ss.	4	0	1	4	1	0
O'Quinn, p.	4	1	2	0	2	0
Totals	32	7	8	27	10	23
Score by innings:						
Greensboro		0.51	100	000		7
High Point		0.20	001	000		2
Summary:						
Stolen bases: Pierre.						
Schmidt, ss.						
Home runs: McCullough.						
3rd to 3rd, 1st to 3rd, 2nd to 2nd.						
Struck out by: O'Quinn 6 by Lee, 1 by Mott.						
Base on balls of: O'Quinn 1 by Mott 5; of Lee 3. Wild pitch 1. Time of game, 1:47. Umpires Morgan and Osborne. Attendance 2,690.						

Yesterday's Results

PIEDMONT LEAGUE

Greensboro 7; at High Point 2.

DANVILLE 4; at Durham 6.

Raleigh: Winston-Salem — wet grounds.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE

At Petersburg 4; Norfolk 1.

Others postponed: rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At o'Fest 7; St. Louis 6. (14 inn.

At Brooklyn 8; Chicago 2.

At New York 4; Pittsburgh 2.

At Philadelphia-Cincinnati. (rain.)

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At St. Louis 1; New York 4.

At Cleveland 0; Philadelphia 5.

At Chicago-Washington. (rain.)

At Detroit-Boston. (wet grounds.)

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

At Atlanta 3; Nashville 4.

At Birmingham 3; Chattanooga 5.

At Mobile 1; Little Rock 0.

At New Orleans 13; Memphis 5.

At Kansas City 10; Toledo 1.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

American League

NEW YORK 4; ST. LOUIS 1

(By The Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, May 16.—New York scored four runs in the sixth inning today and defeated St. Louis, 4 to 1 in the first game of the season between the two teams. Hoyt held the Browns to four hits.

Score: R. H. E.
New York ... 4 000 004 000-4 1
St. Louis ... 100 000 000-1 4 1
Hoyt and Schang; Van Gilder, Puetz and Severeid.

PHILADELPHIA 5; CLEVELAND 0

(By The Associated Press)
CLEVELAND, O., May 16.—Eddie Dorman held Cleveland to six hits, four of which went to Jamison to day, and the Philadelphia Athletics won the first game of the series, five to nothing. Covaleski pitched great ball until an error by Sewell put him in a hole. Welch hit a home run in the eighth.

Score: R. H. E.
Philadelphia ... 000 003 110-10 3
Cleveland ... 000 000 000-0 6 2
Rommel and Perkins; Covaleski, Morton, Smith and Myatt.

Rutgers Adopts Freshman Rule

BY LAWRENCE PERRY
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NEW YORK, May 16.—Rutgers has adopted the freshman rule. It will go into effect with the opening season in September 1924. This marks not only a distinct forward step for the Jersey institution, but through her action the entire cause of college athletics will be the gainer.

Rutgers is classed among the institutions which have been quick to admire the virtues of the one year residence rule but have not held it as applicable to themselves because of their comparatively small size.

As a result of this there are institutions of small enrollment where it would be almost impossible to organize teams of any proficiency whatever in any sport were not drafted made upon the freshmen. But there are other institutions, ranging from five to nine hundred population which have no excuse for withholding from a rule whose salutary workings have long been recognized.

Rutgers is in this class and the fact that she has had the moral hardihood to adopt the freshman restriction in the face of the certainty that it will affect in greater or less degree the athletic success which the college has been enjoying in recent years, speaks well for the loftiness of the writer's prediction.

The influence will be the greater because as more important tests of learning adopt the freshman rule it leaves those who have not adopted it in a position of loneliness. It has the effect of segregating them in a moral and ethical sense and at the same time there is always the assurance that the time is not far away when institutions that have not interdicted their varsity teams to first year men will be placed in a class by themselves and will find that their schedules of contests must be confined thereto.

Coach Muller of Harvard, announced that hereafter he will develop a crew at Harvard for short distance racing and one for long distance racing. The short distance crew, he says, will work on their sprinting stroke and the four mile, eight will sweep in a manner better qualified to cover the four mile distance. The writer wishes Mr. Muller well. He is engaged upon a risky experiment which so far as the writer is aware, has been worked successfully by the late Charles E. Courtney of Cornell, alone.

JAILS OPENED FOR DELINQUENT PAYERS OF TAXES

LONDON, May 16.—What happened to the people in England who do not pay their income tax has been told by an official of the Inland Revenue, who declares there are about 1,000 such delinquents now in jail, compared with 1,500 two years ago.

Plenty of time is given by the authorities for payment, said this official, and in cases where it can be shown that funds are not available, easy methods are devised. In other cases, after a certain interval, a notice is sent to the defaulter that the tax must be remitted by a certain date—usually ten days time. If that is disregarded a more urgent notice is sent, and three days grace given. After that distress warrant is obtained. The defaulter's goods are obtained. Those who are imprisoned for default are generally single, or have no salable property of their own.

CHINESE TROOPS CLASH
(By The Associated Press)

TIENTSIN, May 16.—Government troops clashed with outposts of the Suchowhoo, bandits near Hanchow Wang yesterday, according to advices received today from Tsoochwang. The bandit forces were said to have been driven back by the troops, but the extent of the casualties is not known.

Gibson Has One Bad Inning And Danville Loses

DURHAM, May 16.—In one bad inning Pitcher Gibson lost the game for Danville by allowing the Durham Bells to bat around and score five runs, after which he held them scoreless the rest of the way, the game finally ending 8 to 4 favoring the locals. Leaving out the fifth inning Gibson pitched a creditable game but the locals got on to his twisters in that frame and a series of hitting and bunting confusions ensued so that he gave up. The Danvilleans received many decisions of the umpires today. First Baseman Smith was put out of the game near the close for vigorously protesting a decision. Dorman also came very near being sent off the field for disputing a decision.

After pitching good ball for four innings, Gibson allowed the locals to bat around and when the smoke had cleared away five runs had been registered. Four bingles, a couple walks, and a lot of bunting is described as the way it all happened. This included Dannielly's home run.

The Virginians scored one in the first inning. Dorman was hit by a pitched ball, was sacrificed to second by Allison and crossed the plate on Smith's single. They went scoreless until the seventh when another tally was added. Jesmer, Heckle and Lowe singled in succession and Jesmer counted.

Another was added in the eighth hit for two bases, went to third on Allison's infield out and scored on Harris' single.

The visitors still had fighting blood and made another desperate effort in the final frame which netted them only one more run, a total of four. With two out Gibson singled. Dorman secured his third hit of the game, which went for two bases and Gibson crossed the rubber.

The box score:

DANVILLE		A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Dorman ss.	4	2 3 2 6 0
Allison rf & 1b.	4	0 0 3 0 0
Smith 1b.	3	0 1 5 0 0
Harris rf.	1	0 1 0 0 0
Tredell lf.	4	0 1 2 0 0
Murphy 3b.	4	0 0 1 1 0
Jesmer ct.	4	1 1 0 0 0
Heckle 2b.	4	0 1 3 1 0
Lowe c.	4	0 1 6 1 0
Gibson p.	4	1 2 0 3 0
Totals	24	4 11 24 12 0
Durham	A. B. R. H. P. A. E.	
Heine ss.	4	2 2 1 2 0
Stetler lf.	1	0 0 1 0 0
Dannielly cf.	4	1 3 5 0 0
Gooch rf.	4	0 2 1 0 0
Benson 2b.	4	0 0 2 2 0
Myers 3b.	3	1 1 3 1 0
Resco 1b.	3	1 1 1 12 0
Kearney c.	3	1 1 0 0 0
Stuteler p.	3	0 1 0 6 0
Totals	25	6 11 27 13 0
DANVILLE	A. B. R. H. P. A. E.	
Durham	000 150 000-6	

Summary:

Stolen bases: Gooch (2), Myers, Sacrifice hits: Allison, Stringfield, Keenly. Triple-base hits: Dorman (2). Dannielly. Home runs: Dannielly. Double plays: Heckle to Dorman to Smith. Heine to Benson to Resco. Struck out by Gibson 6 by: Stetler 2, Bases on balls off: Gibson 3, Hit by pitched ball—Dorman, Left-on bases: Dannielly 7; Durham 5. Earned runs: Durhams 4; Durham 6. Wild pitch: Stetler. Time of game: 1:355; Umpires: Agur and Tandy. Attendance 700.

MACK REFUSES TO TAKE SERIOUSLY MOORE REPORTS

PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—Connie Mack doesn't take seriously the reports that Fred Carisch, the veteran catcher, who is assisting Manager Cobb at Detroit, has made over Pitcher Roy Moore.

Training camp gossip had it that Carisch had changed Moore's stride, thereby making his delivery smooth and easy, rather than short and kinky. This, according to Carisch, was Moore's great fault, too short a stride, resulting in lack of control.

Moore is a southpaw with a world of stuff who has failed to arrive simply because of lack of control.

"I certainly hope Roy makes good for Cobb," says Mack. "He is a fine boy and has the stuff. If anything is lacking in Roy it is ambition. He does not have to play ball for a livelihood, which causes him to take the game too lightly. Win or lose, it's all the same with Roy."

Realizing Moore's great possibilities, I tried everything possible with him. In fact, did everything but try to make him pitch right-handed. If Carisch has enabled him to get control, he had already earned his son's salary."

LOS ANGELES COUNTY FOREST FIRES COSTLY

LOS ANGELES, May 16.—Forest fires in Los Angeles during the last year have cost the county \$250,000, according to officials of the Chamber of Commerce Department of Safety.

Standard Oil of N. J. in 1922 showed \$1.61 a share on \$25 par against \$5.07 on old stock in 1921.

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No, This Is Not Mlle. Lenglen!



Mlle. Evelyn Beckingham put every ounce of energy into this drive during the play for the singles championship of North London. Notice that the entire body, from toe to clenched fist, was under tension as the racket met the ball. The picture is quite reminiscent of those showing Suzanne Lenglen, world's champion, in action.

Eleven Years A Champion



(BY JOHNNY KILBANE)
Feather Champion of the World.

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At the time I won the championship from Attell at Vernon, Calif., Newton D. Baker, secretary of war under President Wilson, was mayor of Cleveland.

He has proved one of my best friends through his kindly advice.

The crowd that was at the station to meet me was tremendous. Newspaper men and photographers started to get on the train at Toledo and Sandusky.

The crowd fairly swept me from my feet. No visitors to Cleveland ever received the ovation that my fellow countrymen gave me. I have never forgotten it, and never will.

My wife and I reached an auto, and were whisked home. Soon afterward I received a call from Mayor Baker, asking me to come to see him. This I did, and he gave me some advice I have followed carefully ever since.

"DON'T GET SWELLHEAD!"

"Now, Johnny," he said to me, "you're a champion now, and everyone will be coming to you. Don't get a swellhead, whatever you do. Keep your level head."

I paused here in my writing to ask a question of the reader. How many men, as high up as Mayor Baker was then, would do what he did?

The town was painted a rich green for its Irish champ. I appeared a week at Keith's theater and the outside was decorated in Erin's color. It so happened John McCormack followed me the next week, and they kept the colors as appropriately for him. I was so nervous I couldn't punch the bag on my first appearance.

The whole city seemed to welcome me. I don't say that in any spirit of conceit. It was Johnny this, and Johnny that.

I confess I liked it. It was something new. But the realization that I was the champion never has dawned on me to this day in the sense that the very act of becoming a champ au-

tomatically lifts a man completely apart from the rest of the field and makes him a separate world unto himself.

In those days crowds, in a way, frightened me, both when I was in or out of the ring, especially in. I didn't understand them. I was later to learn that they always root eventually, in the course of a fight, for the underdog, the one fighting what seems to be against odds. But here, too, we meet the same condition that exists elsewhere in the world.

The admiration goes for the stronger. Once you obtain success, this admiration for your plug turks, in many instances, I am sorry to find, is envy, to envy, and to a savage desire to see you uncrowned.

Now I realize all this. Eleven years of it have made me immune. Now it is more of a business with me, not entirely in the monetary sense, because I still love the game, but in the sense I realize how easily the crowds' cheers for me can turn to jeers.

MOUNT CROSS NEWS

Ira Astin of Mt. Cross was the host at a very enjoyable party, given at Ballou Park on Saturday evening, May 12.

Those enjoying his hospitality were Mrs. Mary Moorsfield, Mildred Comer, Emma Watson Maye, Gladys Emerson and Elvera Astin, Messrs. Vincent Edwards, William and Dave Lanier, John Swanson, Smith Fulton, Ernest and Linden Astin, Dewey Blair, James and Claude Astin, Albert Astin, Mrs. Luke Blair, chaperoned the party, after many games were played; a delightful ice-cream was served by the host. Everybody declared that they had a delightful time.

Ira Astin is a student at Ferrum Theological School, and is now at home for a summer vacation.

The season of Ted Ray in 25 years to the first fall of Ted Ray in 25 years to the qualifying round. The Frenchman, Arnaud Massey, also failed to get in.

KIRKWOOD SHOWS SPLENDID FORM

(By The Associated Press)

LEEDS, England, May 16.—Joe Kirkwood gave a magnificent performance today in the qualifying round for the professional golf tournament.

He made a new record for the Headley Course by turning in a score of 67, which made his total 139 for the 26 holes, the 18 of which were played Tuesday.

Kirkwood, therefore, is leading the 32 professionals who have qualified for the competition which begins tomorrow. Walter Hagen, with 147 and Gene Sarazen with 151, have qualified but Charles Hoffman's 156 was three strokes too many to let him in for the play.

The session of today was the first fall of Ted Ray in 25 years to the qualifying round. The Frenchman, Arnaud Massey, also failed to get in.

AMERICAN

(By The Associated Press)

Won. Lost. Pct.

New York ... 17 8 .572

Cleveland ... 15 11 .556

Philadelphia ... 13 10 .555

Detroit ... 13 12 .548

St. Louis ... 11 13 .488

Washington ... 9 13 .409

Chicago ... 9 13 .409

Boston ... 7 13 .350

NATIONAL

(By The Associated Press)

Won. Lost. Pct.

New York ... 19 7 .731

St. Louis ... 15 12 .556

Pittsburgh ... 18 12 .520

Cincinnati ... 12 14 .462

Chicago ... 12 14 .458

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By De Beck



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A CASE OF HERITAGE



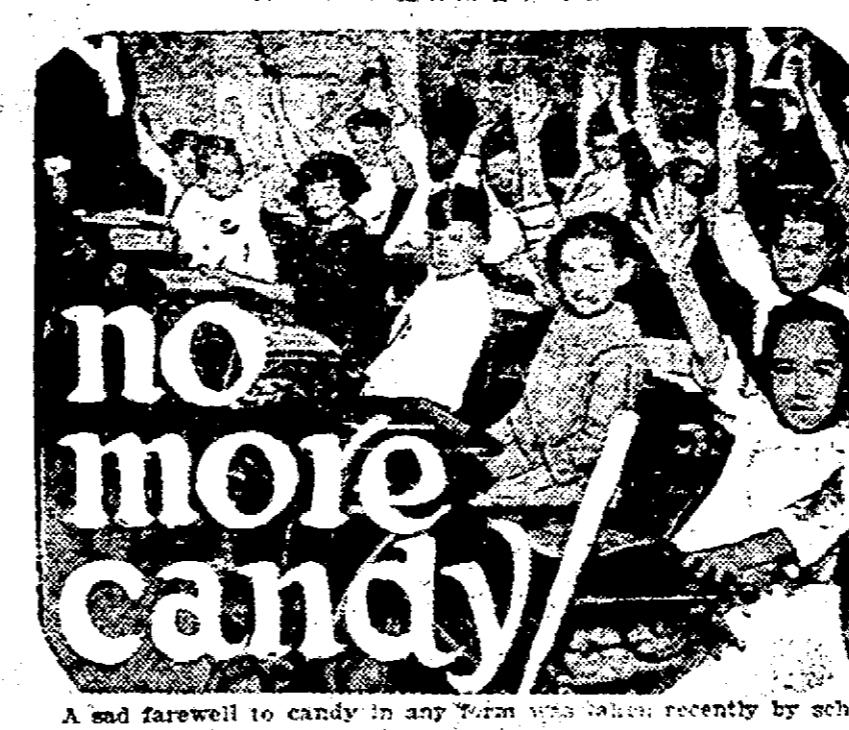
This is Jacqueline de Berr, 6. Her mother is Liselette de Berr, French cinema star. Jacqueline has just won first prize in a competition of all child movie players in France.

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ONE MAN KILLED IN TRAIN CRASH

(By The Associated Press)

LIMA, O., May 16.—One man was killed and possibly a score of persons injured at Coldwater and Fort Recovery, when Lake Erie and Western passenger train number two collided head on with a freight train this afternoon. The dead man is George J. Baker, 61, of Lima, engineer on the passenger train.

Misunderstanding of orders led to the collision, it is reported. A relief train was sent to the scene from Lima and is bringing the passengers to this city.

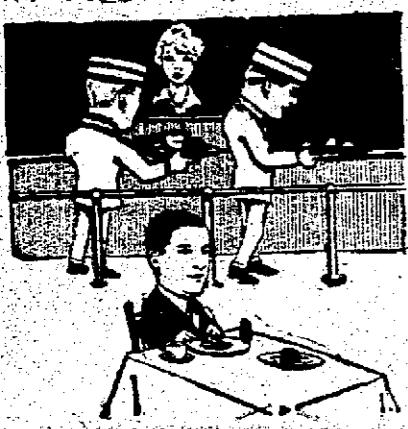
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Rouge and the lip-stick are essential to good acting, says Elizabeth Carroll, debutante, who plays the leading role in the "Follies of 1923," this year's biggest social event in Atlanta, Ga.

EIGHT PERSONS FOUND GUILTY

(By The Associated Press)
OMAHA, Neb., May 16.—Eight persons were found guilty of use and conspiracy to use the mails to defraud, four were convicted on charges of conspiracy and one was acquitted today by a federal court jury which indicted thirteen defendants indicted in connection with promotion of the Colonial Timber and Coal Corporation.

Mr. De Mott asked \$100,000 for each of five alleged slanderous statements concerning the figure.

Today's suit was the second of \$300,000 brought against Sir Joseph as a result of his oral criticisms of art works.

The first, last year, was based on his statement that a "Leonardo Da Vinci" not in America, was a spurious copy of a European original that fell far short of the master's color tones.

JENNINGS IN VIRGINIA WHILE BEING SOUGHT

Dennis Jennings lived quietly in a house on Eighth street, Richmond, until four months ago when he moved to Detroit through the police authorities of Virginia, North and South Carolina and the federal authorities were looking for him. Harper Chandler, who took W. M. Sneed to Richmond Tuesday, returned today and said that while they were in a car going to the penthouse, Sneed pointed out a house where Jennings lived, adding that he had frequently visited him there. The formalities in Richmond did not last long and Harper understood before leaving that Sneed would be assigned to clerical work in the institution. The Danville man's iron nerve did not forsake him and he is reported to have accepted his situation philosophically.

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SUITS FILED AGAINST NEW YORK COFFEE EXCHANGE

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NEW YORK, May 16.—Suits for \$886,611 against the New York coffee and sugar exchange firm of Lamhorn and Company were filed in Supreme Court late today by John H. Rapsey, who alleged the defendant had failed to live up to an agreement concerning dealings in sugar for future delivery.

Rapsey alleged the firm had failed to follow his instructions for selling sugar futures. As a result, he declared, he failed to obtain the profit of \$386,611, he otherwise would have received.

LEASE IS UNCERTAIN

(By The Associated Press)
JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., May 16.—J. Johnson, vice-president of the Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio railroad, who returned here today from the east, advised that the Clinchfield directors had agreed to lease the line to the Atlantic Coast Line railroad. Mr. Campion said he had read accounts of the Coast Line directors' decision to lease the Clinchfield, but that he had no statement to make now.

Ex-Soldiers Are Mussolini's Opportunity For Big Fascisti

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